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ANDOVER BOARD OF TRADE

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THE TOWNSMAN**

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**BARBER SHOP**  
96 MAIN ST. Near A. & P.  
3 Barbers \* Good Service

Andover League of Women Voters submits report on schools.  
300 mothers "March on Polio" tonight.

**MARCH**  
6 - White, Doherty and Kimball  
elected as 3596 voters go to polls.  
Henderson and Hall win BPW  
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**Ben Russem**  
and family



## Town Warrant To Close Jan. 23

The selectmen Monday night voted to close the town warrant for the election and town meeting next year at 4:30 p.m. Friday, Jan. 23, 1953.

This means that all articles for the town warrant must be in the

hands of Town Clerk George H. Winslow in proper form on or before that date. It also holds true for the filing of papers for candidates for town offices at the March election.

Ivar L. Sjoström Jr., 84 Main st. was drawn as a juror to serve at the session of superior criminal court opening Jan. 19, 1953 at Salem.

The selectmen also voted to close the town house at noon on Wednesday Dec. 24 and Wednesday Dec. 31, prior to the holidays.

Roy A. Russell was appointed a constable to fill the unexpired term of the late Chief George A. Dane. The appointment will run to the next town election.

One of the most unpleasant things about advice is that the better it is, the harder it is to take.

Best Wishes for A Very

Merry Christmas

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## WEST PARISH

Mrs. Sarah Lewis, Correspondent, Telephone 584-J

### Distribute Baskets

Many Shut-in friends and members of the Womans' Union of the West church were most graciously remembered during the first part of the week with gifts of baskets of fruit, candy and jelly by the sunshine committee of the Womans' Union.

### Pre Christmas Party

Mr. and Mrs. John Rasmussen entertained a group of friends at their home on Lowell st., Christmas eve. A turkey dinner was served. Those in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. Folmer Knudsen, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Knudsen, all of Somerville; Mr. and Mrs. Anton Ambye and daughter Edith of New York City; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gray of Boston, and Robert Cotton of Boston.

### Home From College

Among residents of this district who are home from college for the holidays are, Miss Janet Fieldhouse of River rd., a student at Oberlin; Miss Judith Marland a student at the University of Massachusetts; William McKeown from Hobart college, Geneva, N.Y., and Russell Doyle of Chandler rd., who has returned from Colgate university, Hamilton, N.Y.

### Christmas Party

The traditional Christmas Lewis family party was held last Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellery Metcalf in Saugus. A buffet supper was served at 7 o'clock and this preceded the distribution of gifts from the tree by Miss Santa Claus. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Peatman, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Northey, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kneath, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur R. Lewis from Andover, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lewis from Chelmsford, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton White from Whitman, and Mr. and Mrs. Metcalf and their daughters Marjorie and Eleanor all of Saugus.

### Personals

Miss Doris Newton of Montpelier, Vt., is enjoying the Christmas holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Newton of Boutwell rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Albion Johnson of High Plain rd., and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Johnson of Watertown, enjoyed a pre-Christmas family dinner party Sunday at the home of the former's daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Hoyt of Lincoln.

Mrs. Earl Slate of Argilla rd., left today to spend a Christmas vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Batchelder and their family of Bacon Hill, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Morgan and family of Lowell st. left Saturday for Florida where they expect to spend several months. They hope to locate in Englewood.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pollard of New Braintree, spent the weekend with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dick of High Plain rd.

Miss Margaret Dick, a teacher in Bay Path Junior college, Longmeadow, is enjoying the holiday season at the family home on High Plain rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Kennis of High Plain rd., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Boda of Windham, N.H.

Mrs. Richard Purcell of Somerville, is enjoying the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams of Lowell st.

Mrs. Walter True and her two children of Balston Spa, N.Y. are enjoying the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hartwell Abbott of Andover st.

Ronald Pariseau, a student at Miami university, is home with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Pariseau for the holiday season.

James Calder and his classmate Herbert Stugart of Patterson, N.J., both students at Purdue university, Lafayette, Ind., are spending the holiday season at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Calder of Chandler rd.

Mrs. Frank Lynch has returned to her home on Chandler rd., after enjoying several weeks' visit with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Randall of Fromberg, Mont. Mrs. Lynch made the trip both ways by plane.

Airman 3/c Richard Munroe of Scott air field, Belleville, Ill., is enjoying the Christmas holidays at the home of his wife's family, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Young of Union st.

Airman 3-c Douglas Hardy is enjoying the holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Hardy of High st. He is attached to the Donaldson air base at Greenville, S.C.

### Slow Appreciation

In 1751, a Swedish scientist named Cronstedt obtained a sample of ore and succeeded in separating from it a metal previously unknown to science. He named the newly-discovered metal "Nickel". Until the beginning of the 20th century—in fact, well into this century—nickel was little appreciated and less sought after. To scientists, it was a metal twice as abundant in the earth's crust as copper, zinc and lead combined.

### ANDOVER PLAYHOUSE

Sun. & Mon., Dec. 28-29

**IVORY HUNTER**

(In Technicolor)

Anthony Steel — Dinah Sheridan

3:10 6:10 9:10

**SON OF ALI BABA**

(In Technicolor)

Tony Curtis — Susan Cabot

1:45 4:45 7:45

Tues. & Wed., Dec. 30-31

**SCARLET ANGEL**

(In Technicolor)

Yvonne DeCarlo — Rock Hudson

3:20 6:15 9:10

**VOODOO TIGER**

Johnny Weissmuller — Jeanne Dean

2:00 4:55 7:50

Thurs., Fri., & Sat., Jan 1-2-3

SPECIAL 3-DAY HOLIDAY PROGRAM

**PRISONER OF ZENDA**

Stewart Granger — Deborah Kerr

2:10 5:30 8:50

**ROSE BOWL STORY**

Marshall Thompson — Vera Miles

3:50 7:10



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As an added attraction this year have gathered around the Christmas tree. The

spends Day

Miss Ruth Anne daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chadwick, 160 Lowell st. had a chance to observe the operation of a daily newspaper at the Holyoke Telegram.

Every year the new 15 Mount Holyoke spend one day working and gives assignments for inter-Holyoke citizens' leg material based on view with the city library. Miss Chadwick, a Pynchard high school



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As an added attraction to the Christmas decorations at the central fire station the firemen this year have gathered several reindeer which they have placed on the lawn with an illuminated Christmas tree. The one with the red nose looks like Rudolph. (Look Photo)

### Spends Day On Newspaper

Miss Ruth Anne Chadwick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chadwick, 160 Lowell st. recently had a chance to observe the operation of a daily newspaper first hand at the Holyoke Transcript-Telegram.

Every year the newspaper invites 15 Mount Holyoke students to spend one day working on the paper and gives them various assignments for interviews. Miss Chadwick wrote a special article on Holyoke citizens' taste in reading material based upon an interview with the city librarian.

Miss Chadwick, a graduate of Pinchard high school, received

the Sarah Williston award for sophomore honors in 1951.

**REALTY TRANSFERS**  
Maurice R. Bailey et ux to Rose Levin, George st.  
Kenneth E. Campbell to Cornelius R. Cornellier, Main st. and Sunset Rock rd.  
Eleanor Adams to Grace F. Peterson, Stratford rd.  
Raymond J. Lally et ux to Maurice R. Bailey et ux, Foster circle.  
Richard L. Steinert et ux to G. Arthur Danforth et ux, High st.  
Town of Andover (Tax Redemp.) to Dennis A. Hennessey et al, York st.

### Junior Garden Club To Meet Dec. 30

The Junior Garden club will hold an extra Christmas party Tuesday, Dec. 30 at the Memorial Hall library.

The meeting, which will start at 2:30 p.m. will be featured by an illustrated lecture on "Invitation to Bird Acquaintance." Records of actual bird calls will be heard.

At this party each child is invited to bring a guest.

**HOME ELECTRICIANS**  
A short course in electrical engineering is a prime requisite for the modern housekeeper.

### Films To Feature New Year's Party

The Baptist church will again hold a New Year's eve fellowship program and party Dec. 31 at 7:30 o'clock based upon Christian ideals.

The pastor, the Rev. Roy E. Nelson Jr., assisted by the young people will conduct a devotional service. This will be followed by an hour of sound motion pictures of on-the-spot present day life in the new republic of Israel.

The evening's program will conclude with an informal get-together at which time refreshments will be served.

The general public is cordially welcomed.

**STORY HOUR**  
There will be a special story hour, called a "Doll and Teddy Bear Hour," at 10:30 a.m. Monday, Dec. 29. Although planned for

young people between the ages of five and ten, any child will be admitted. All are invited to bring dolls and teddy bears, and there will be a good bit of interest in seeing who has brought the biggest, littlest, funniest, prettiest and oldest. No tickets are required for this program.

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*In a world beset with conflict, let us take hope in the never-changing spirit of love and peace that is the true meaning of Christmas. We can see expressions of it around us every day in the year if we care to look. But better still, we can share in it! We can share by giving good to others without thought of return. For Christmas is Giving . . . giving our blood to save the life of an unknown boy at war, giving a friendly smile to the lonely, a hopeful word to those in despair, an encouraging hand to the weak, a helping hand to all those who need us. This is the Spirit of Christmas! This is the spirit in which we pray that the Christmas Season will live in your home for a long, long time, bringing joy . . . love . . . and peace to men of good will.*



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# FRIENDLY GUILD

The Friendly Guild of Christ church will conduct a Christmas party for the choir boys of the church at 7:30 p.m., Monday, Dec. 29 in the Parish house. There will be entertainment, games and refreshments.

Mrs. Eleanor Daniels is chairman of a large committee in charge

## INSURANCE REAL ESTATE

### MERRY CHRISTMAS

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## AT THE CHURCHES

### The North Parish Church

(Unitarian) — North Andover

REV. E. A. BROWN JR., Minister  
SUNDAY: 10 a.m. Church school.  
10 a.m. Kindergarten. 11 a.m. Church hour nursery. 11 a.m. Morning service. 7 p.m. Unity club.  
MONDAY: 7:30 p.m. Parish committee. 7:30 p.m. Alliance executive board.

### Christ Church

REV. JOHN S. MOSES, Rector

SUNDAY: 8 a.m. Holy Communion. 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 11 a.m. Nursery class. 11 a.m. Service of carols and lessons.  
MONDAY: 7:30 p.m. Choir Christmas party.  
TUESDAY: 6:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal.  
THURSDAY: New Year's day. 10 a.m. Holy Communion.

### Methodist Church

REV. ROBERT J. McCUNE, Minister

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 10:45 a.m. Morning worship. The service will be conducted by Mr. James Green. 6:30 p.m. Youth Fellowship.

### Christian Science Society

(6 Locke Street)

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 11 a.m. Church service. Subject of lesson sermon: "Christian Science."

### Andover Baptist Church

ROY E. NELSON JR., Minister

SUNDAY: 9 a.m. Youth choir rehearsal. 9:30 a.m. Church school, all departments. 10:15 a.m. Carillon bells. 10:45 a.m. Morning service of worship. Sermon by the pastor, the Rev. Roy E. Nelson Jr., based upon the Bible book of the Month. From the Gospel according to Matthew: "The Gospel Narrative. Two vested choirs. Nursery for the small children. 4 p.m. A Christmas Blessing," an inspiring Christmas cantata by C. Albert Scholin. All are welcome. 6:30 p.m. Baptist Youth Fellowship mystery ride and meeting.

WEDNESDAY: 7:30 p.m. New Year's Eve Fellowship Program in the church vestry for everyone interested in a Christian social get-together. Devotions. Motion pictures. Refreshments.

FRIDAY: 8 p.m. New Year's party for members of the Philathea class at the home of Mrs. Clinton Stevens, 72 Morton st.

### St. Augustine's Church

REV. P. J. CAMPBELL, Pastor

WEDNESDAY: 4:30 to 6 p.m. and 7:30 to 9 p.m. Confessions. Christmas day — Midnight Mass. Other Masses 6:30, 8, 9, 10 and 11:30 a.m.

FRIDAY: 7:30 p.m. Novena Devotions, Benediction & Veneration of Relic of St. Theresa.

SATURDAY: 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. and 7:30 to 9 p.m. Confessions.

SUNDAY: Masses 6:30 a.m., 8 a.m., 9 a.m., 10 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. Benediction after 11:30 Mass. 3 p.m. Baptisms.

NOTES: Daily Mass — 7:30 a.m.

### St. Joseph's Church

(Ballardvale)

SUNDAY: Mass at 9 a.m. Confessions are heard before Mass.

The longer we dwell on our misfortunes the greater is their power to harm us.

### Union Congregational Church

RAYMOND B. WILBUR, Minister

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 11 a.m. Morning worship. 7 p.m. Pilgrim Fellowship.

### South Church

REV. FREDERICK B. NOSS, Pastor

FRIDAY: 7:30 p.m. Troop 73, boy scouts.

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Church school. 10:45 a.m. Morning worship and sermon. 10:45 a.m. Church hour nursery school. 11:15 a.m. Church film hour. 7 p.m. Young People's society.

TUESDAY: 8 p.m. Ping Pong club.

### West Parish Church

REV. JOHN G. GASKILL, Minister

SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Children's church service with Richard Workman and Karla Haartz assisting the pastor, and James Abbot and James Nicolas as ushers. Classes in the vestry. 11 a.m. Morning service of worship. Music by the augmented choir. Sermon "Expanding Faith." 7 p.m. Young Peoples' Pilgrim Fellowship meeting in the vestry. Leader of devotional period, Paul Gaskill; Discussion leader, Barbara Williams. All young folks welcome.

TUESDAY: 6:15 p.m. Young Peoples' fun night. Supper with an evening of fun to follow.

FRIDAY: 8:15 p.m. Square dance class.

### Free Church

REV. LEVERING REYNOLDS JR., Minister

SATURDAY: 6:30 p.m. Senior choir Christmas party.

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Church school. 11 a.m. Nursery class for children whose parents wish to attend church. 11 a.m. Morning worship with sermon by the pastor. Again there will be special music sung by the junior and senior choirs. 12:10 p.m. The Margaret Slattery class will meet in the church parlor for their December lesson. 6:30 p.m. Pilgrim Fellowship.

TUESDAY: 7:30 p.m. The Margaret Slattery class Christmas party.

WEDNESDAY: 8 p.m. Explorer post 72 will hold a New Year's party for themselves and their invited guests in the lower parish hall.

## Woman Injured In 3-Car Bump

Ethel D. Blinn, 253 Andover st., Ballardvale, suffered chest injuries in an accident involving three cars in front of 254 Main street Tuesday morning.

According to the police report a car operated by Camille L. Liongain of Park st., Lawrence, was stalled and the Blinn car following was about to give it a push when the third car, operated by William W. Malcolm of East Weymouth, struck the Blinn car from the rear.

The woman was treated at the office of Dr. William Thompson in Shawsheen.

Traffic laws are your side—whose side are you on?

## Christmas Music

Several Andover churches will mark the Feast of the Nativity with special musical services Christmas eve.

At the South, Free and West Parish churches the musical programs will open at 11 p.m. The musical service at Christ church will start at 11:15 p.m., and at St. Augustine's church a musical program starting at 11:30 p.m. will precede a midnight Mass. Special musical programs will feature the Christmas Masses at St. Augustine's church where the schedule follows the regular Sunday hours.

### CHRIST CHURCH

Christmas Music  
Christmas eve — 11:15 p.m.

Prelude:  
Christmas suite  
(Five movements)  
Processional hymn  
"O Come All Ye Faithful"

Carols:  
"Angels We Have Heard On High" French Carol  
"O Little Town of Bethlehem" Redner  
Kyrie Eleison Tallis

Offertory anthems:  
"When Christ Was Born" Old French Carol  
"Christmas Lullaby" (Trio) Stopford  
"Glory Be To God In Heaven" Old French Carol  
Lutkin

Sanctus  
Communion hymn  
"Of The Father's Love Begotten" Plainson  
Gloria in Excelsis Old Chant  
Kneeling hymn  
"Silent Night" Gruber

Recessional hymn  
"Hark the Herald Angels Sing" Mendelssohn  
Postlude:  
Hallelujah Chorus (Messiah) Handel  
Irvin Wilkinson, organist and choirmaster.

### FREE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Christmas Eve Candlelight service  
11 p.m. Organ recital of traditional Christmas music  
Prologue du Jesus arr. Clokey  
Pastorale Scarlati  
Lord Christ, God's Only Son Pachelbel  
Une Vierge Fucelle Le Deque  
In Dulci Jubilo Bach  
Puer Natus in Bethlehem Buxtehude

A Carpenter is Born Edmundson  
A Lovely Rose Is Blooming Brahms  
Pastoral Symphony Handel  
11:30 p.m. Candlelight service  
Introit Adm  
Cantique de Noel Senior Choir  
Anthem  
"Of a Father's Love (Negoties)" Traditional  
Youth Choir  
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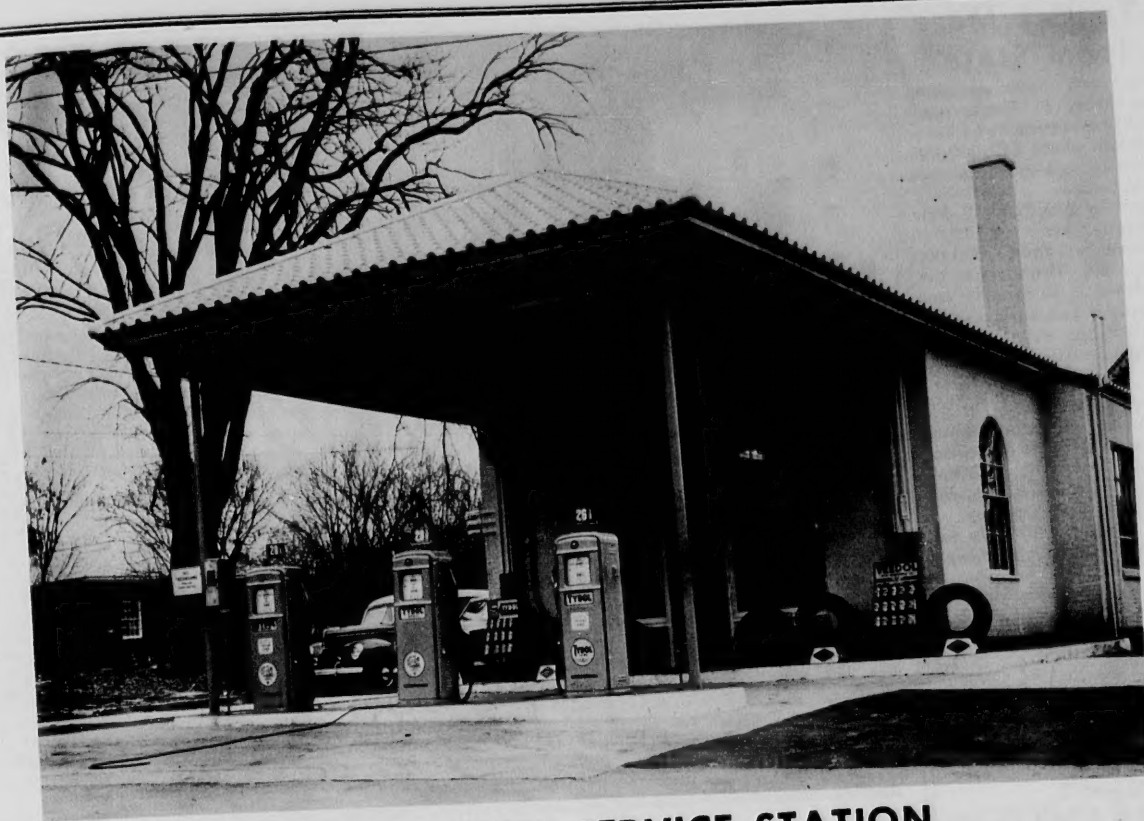
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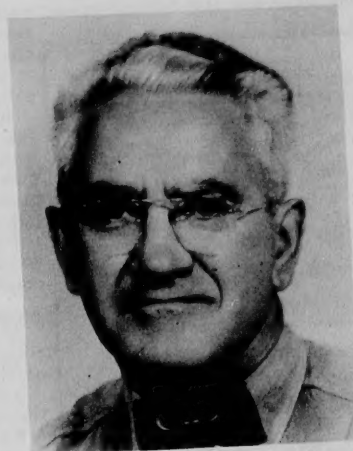
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Millionaire to beggar — Be off with you this minute!  
 Beggar — Look here, mister; the only difference between you and me is that you are makin' your second million while I'm still workin' at my first.



**CITY**  
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## Town To Get More Funds From State

The selectmen have received notice from Henry F. Long, commissioner of corporations and taxation that he has about \$17,000,000 to be distributed to certain municipalities in the state.

In the fund is \$11,273,037 from the corporation tax, \$4,172,735 from the income tax, and \$2,000,000 from the meal tax. The amount the town of Andover is to receive was not mentioned. It has been estimated that it will be about \$46,000 which is to be credited to 1952 receipts.

### WEDDING INTENTIONS

The following wedding intentions have been filed at the office of Town Clerk George H. Winslow:

John F. Tuttle, Andover Inn, and Dorothy A. Hood, Andover Inn.  
 Edward R. Walsh, 28 Maple st., Lexington and Anne A. Hathaway, 43 High st.  
 Lyman S. Appleton, Woodland rd. and Helen M. Cutler, 1187 Main st., Higham.

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The Nativity scene as depicted by boys of the Sacred Heart school as part of their Christmas program. The scene shows the visit of the Three Wise Men to the Babe of Bethlehem. (Look Photo)

## OBITUARIES

### JOHN J. DONOVAN

John Joseph Donovan, 79, fell down stairs while going into the cellar of his home at 27 Pine st. Sunday morning and died a few hours later. Dr. John T. Batal, medical examiner, viewed the body and said the accidental fall was the result of a cerebral hemorrhage.

Mr. Donovan was born in Ireland and had made his home here for the past 40 years. He was employed at the Tyer Rubber Co. and had worked Friday.

He is survived by his widow, Hannah M. (Minahan) Donovan, a daughter, Miss Shirley Lacaille of Andover; two brothers, Timothy and Michael Donovan of Bradford and three sisters, Mrs. Dennis Lyons, Mrs. Thomas Allen and Mrs. Jeremiah Cochrane, all of Haverhill; also several nieces and nephews.

The funeral was held Wednesday, from the M. A. Burke funeral home with a solemn high Mass of requiem at 9:30 o'clock in St. Augustine's church. Burial was in St. Augustine's cemetery.

### MRS. MARY BOURASSA

Mrs. Mary (Fournier) Bourassa, widow of Thomas D. Bourassa, 11 Cuba st., died unexpectedly Friday at her home. Born in Canada Mrs. Bourassa had resided in Andover for nearly 30 years and attended St. Augustine's church.

Surviving are four daughters, Valida, wife of Alcide Ouellet of Lawrence, Miss Florence Bourassa with whom she resided, Eva, wife of William Dobbie and Adele, wife of Matthew Chetson, both of Andover; a son, Arthur of Lawrence, a sister, Mrs. Bridget Demers of Ludlow; also 11 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

The funeral was held Monday from the late home with a high Mass of requiem at 9:30 a.m. in St. Augustine's church. Burial was in St. Augustine's cemetery.

### STANLEY J. PRYCE

Stanley J. Pryce, 34 Dale st., Ballardvale, died Monday after a long illness. A native of Lawrence, he was employed as a clerk in the Pacific mills and attended St. Augustine's church.

He is survived by his widow,

Marion (Townsend) Pryce, a daughter, Sharon F. his father, Adam Pryce of Lynn; five brothers, Joseph of Detroit, Mich., Charles of Brooklyn, N.Y., and Edward, Walter and Robert Price, all of Lawrence; a sister, Mrs. Blanche Karwowski of Lynn, also several nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

### CENTRAL LEAGUE

St. Augustine's Division A basketball team will meet the St. Patrick's Celtics at 12 noon Saturday. The St. Augustine's Division C team will meet the Protectors (2) team also at 12 noon.

As of Dec. 20, the Division A team has won 3 and lost 1, while the Division C team has won 1 and lost 3.

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*Yuletide Greetings*

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## Christmas

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Carol  
 "Masters in This Hall"

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# Christmas Music

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"To Shepherd's Past Asleep" Davies

Senior Choir

Carol  
"Masters in This Hall" Traditional

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"As Lately We Watched" Black

Senior Choir

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Gesu Bambino Yon

Postlude  
Picardy Carol Noble

## ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH

Rev. Patrick J. Campbell,  
O. S. A., Pastor

11:30 Christmas Eve.

Joy To The World, Angels On High.

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O Little Town Of Bethlehem

Silent Night Beaulieu

Christ Child Adam

Virgin's Slumber Song Van De Water

O Holy Night

Night Of Nights

Midnight - Solemn High Mass

Carolus Dominus Dixit Bordonel

Mass Of The Good Shepherd Turner

Gloria Mass Of The Good Shepherd Turner

Graduale Tecum Principium Bordonel

Credo From The Mass In "A" Schmids

Offertorium Laetentur Coeli Bordonel

Adeste Fidelis Novello

Sanctus Mass of the Good Shepherd Turner

Benedictus Mass of the Good Shepherd Turner

Agnus Dei Mass of the Good Shepherd Turner

At The Domine

Non Sum Dignus O Sacrum Convivium Palestrina

Adoremus Te Palestrina

Communio In Splendoribus Sanctorum Bordonel

Recessional Come To The Manger

Soloists: Mrs. Joseph Caruso

Mrs. John Crossley

Miss Abbie C. McLaughlin

Mrs. Stanley Zarella

Christmas Day

9 a.m. Carols Sung by children's choir.

10 a.m. Night of Nights, Van de Water

Adeste Fidelis Novello

Soloist: Genevieve Murray

11:30 a.m. Carols Sung by Senior choir.

Organist and Director, Miss Mary F. Lanigan.

## WEST PARISH CHURCH

Christmas Eve.

11 p.m. Organ music (with Chimes) by Miss Sylvia Ruth Vartanian, organist and choir director.

"How Brightly Shines the Morning Star" Olsson

"Gesu Bambino" Yon

"Noel in G" Daquin

"The Holy Boy" Ireland

11:30 p.m. Christmas Carol by the Congregation "Joy to the World."

Invocation and Lord's Prayer

Anthem by the Augmented choir "Alleluia, Noel" Ball

The prophecy of the Messiah

Offertory, trumpet solo with The Rev. George Ackerly

"Gloria in Excelsis" Scripture, Jesus' Birth

Solo, by Miss Faith Potter

"O Holy Night" Scripture, Jesus' Birth

Anthem by the augmented choir "Come, rise up early in the Morning" Kuntz

Christmas carols "O Little Town of Bethlehem" Redner

"Silent Night, Holy Night" Gruber

Christmas Message by Mrs. Gaskill  
"The Smallest Shepherd"  
Carol, "Gloria in Excelsis" French Melody  
Organ postlude "Trumpet Tune" Purcell

The public is invited.

## SOUTH CHURCH

11 p.m. Christmas eve  
Candlelight service  
Wednesday, Dec. 24

Prelude:

Pastorale in F Major J.S. Bach

Hymn 74

"O little town of Bethlehem"

Scripture Reading: St. Luke 2:8-18

Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Hymn 73

"It came upon the mid-night clear"

Scripture Reading: Matthew 2:1-12

Hymn 101

"We three kings of Orient are"

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"O hail this brightest day of days" J.S. Bach  
Reception of the Offering with the Doxology  
Cantata:  
"The Childhood of Christ" Johann Christoph Bach  
Prayer and Response  
Hymn 98  
"Silent night! Holy night!"

Benediction and Silent Prayer  
Postlude:  
Fugue in F Major W.F. Bach  
Soloists: Mrs. John N. Cole,  
Mrs. David W. Oberlin, Mrs. Mervin E. Stevens, Mrs. Theodore Bertheim, Ralph Svarson and Carl Wetterberg.

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## Christmas Cantata At Baptist Church

In a musical vesper service Sunday at 4 p.m. the Christmas

cantata, "A Christmas Blessing" will be presented in the Baptist church by the adult choir.

Among the soloists in the three scenes will be Mrs. Edna Woodhead, Miss Marilyn Early, Mrs. Luella Thompson, Mrs. Marguerite Thompson, Clinton Stevens and Miss Beulah Dennison.

Other members of the adult choir include Mrs. Caroline Birnstein, Miss Emily Livingston, Mrs. Antonia Goff, Miss Dorothy Gordon, Samuel Dimlich, Walter Reynolds, Edwin Rose and Arthur Babbitt.

The service will be under the direction of Mrs. Linda S. Kocher, church organist and choir director. The public is cordially invited.

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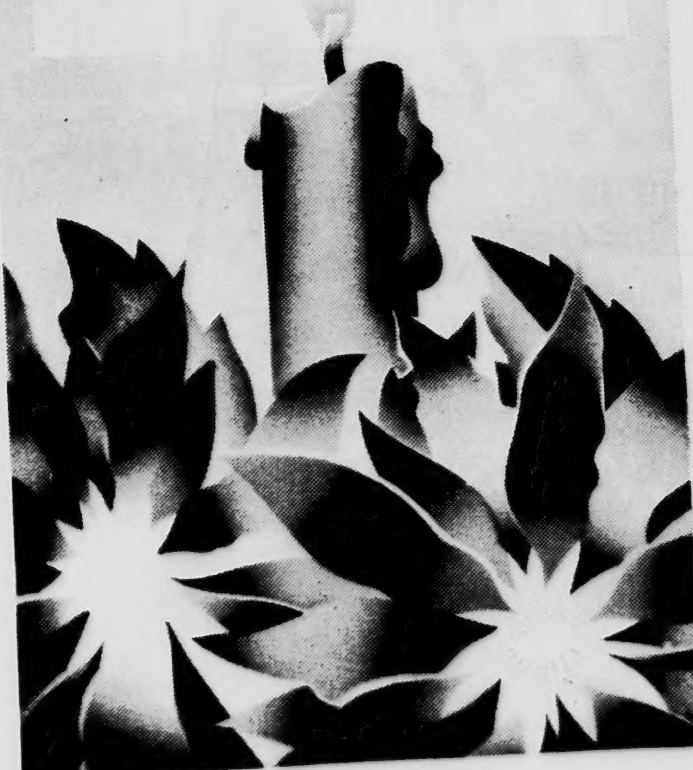
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### Friendly Guild

The Friendly Guild held its meeting and Christmas party last Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Frank M. Green. Mrs. Albert Warner presided and Mrs. William McIntyre had charge of devotions. Final reports for the fair were made. Mrs. Frank Green reported on the blanket club and stated that orders will be accepted until the first of the year. After the business meeting Christmas gifts were exchanged in the form of a "swap party" with Mrs. Charles Walent impersonating Santa Claus. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Willard Myers, and a social time enjoyed. Gifts were brought for the Salvation Army children.

Those present: Mrs. Albert Warner, Mrs. Randolph Perry, Mrs. Addie Kyzer, Mrs. Raymond Wilbur, Mrs. William Batchelder, Mrs. Joseph Serio, Mrs. James Letters, Mrs. Robert Mitchell, Mrs. Alfred Webb, Mrs. William McIntyre, Mrs. Curtis Scholtz, Mrs. Russell Hall, Mrs. Elwyn Russell, Mrs. Samuel Alleruzzo, Mrs. Roland Joy Sr., Mrs. Ralph Greenwood, Mrs. Cleo Audette, Mrs. Charles Walent, Mrs. Merwyn Barby, Mrs. Ralph Sharpe, Mrs. Donald Hayes, Mrs. Harry Batchelder, Mrs. Willard Myers, Mrs. Frank Watson and Mrs. Frank Green.

### O. M. Christmas Party

The O. M. Girls held their eighth annual Christmas party at the home of Miss Joan Buckley of Center st. Gifts were exchanged and refreshments served by the hostess. Those present were: Mrs. Roland Joy Jr., Miss Anne McFarlane, Miss Joanne Myers, Miss Joan Hebert, Miss Harriet Schofield, Miss Mary Elizabeth Green, Miss Ruth Mears, Miss Patricia Bergeron, Miss Blanche Znamierowski and Miss Joan Buckley. Unable to be present were: Miss Doris Nicoll, Miss Andrea Hofer and Miss Shirley Nicoll.

### Bradlee School

The children of the Bradlee school held their Christmas party, Thursday morning. Santa Claus, impersonated by Ralph Sharpe presented each child and teacher with a gift. The class exchange gifts were also distributed. The teachers donated the ice cream, and candy was given by two of the local merchants. The room mothers made the cookies.

Mrs. Alfred Smeltzer was chairman of the party committee with the following room mothers helping: Mrs. R. A. Fitts, Mrs. Charles Bentley, Mrs. Merrill Watts, Mrs. Robert Auchterlonie, Mrs. Henry Brouck, Mrs. William Smeltzer, Mrs. William MacCausland, Mrs. Richard Goodwin, Mrs. Howard Lakin, Mrs. Franklyn Haggerty and Mrs. Rose Lyle.

Mrs. Smeltzer wishes to thank all on her committee for their help in making the party successful.

### Pilgrim Fellowship

The Pilgrim Fellowship enjoyed a Christmas party in the Congregational church vestry last Friday night. Games were played and Christmas carols sung. Refreshments were served. Gifts were exchanged and Paul McFarlin acted as Santa Claus. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond B. Wilbur, Jane and Fred Hall, Margaret and Paul Bouleau, Patty Smalley, Ann Frobberg, Harold Newcomb, James Green, Paul McFarlin, Allen Smeltzer, Thelma and Beverly Sparks, Leigh Henderson and Ann Perry.

### Church Christmas Party

The annual Christmas party of the Union Congregational church Sunday school was held Monday evening Dec. 22. The evening's program was divided into two parts. The first part being a worship service in the church after which everyone repaired to the vestry and awaited the arrival of Santa Claus. Upon his arrival he distributed gifts and candy to all the children present.

The worship service was entitled "The Christmas Story in Word, Song and Picture". Those participating: Philip Wormwood, assistant supt., Mrs. Alfred Webb, Miss Leigh Henderson, James Butler, Jr., Mrs. Florence Letters, Miss Thelma Sparks, Miss Janet Sherry, Mrs. Frank Watson, Miss Joan Hebert, Mrs. Ralph Sharpe. Presentation followed of a film-strip called "The Littlest Camel Kneel."

### Sunday School Party

Saturday afternoon the annual Christmas party of the Methodist church Sunday school was held in the church vestry. Christmas carols were sung with Mrs. Robert J. McCune, pianist. Mrs. McCune also told a Christmas story. To the singing of "Santa Claus is Coming to Town," Mrs. Frank Orlando, as Santa, arrived and distributed gifts and a box of candy to the children. Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. Robert J. McCune, Mrs. James Nicoll, Mrs. Frank Orlando and Miss Joan Birch were in charge of the affair.

### Church Decorations

The laurel rope decorating the sanctuary of the Union Congregational church was given by Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Moody. The Pointsettias which were on the altar were distributed to the shut-ins.

### Successful Deer Trip

Kenneth Sparks, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Sparks of River st. was a successful deer hunter last Sunday in N.H. when he shot a deer weighing about 125 lbs. Kenneth a junior at Pynchard high school went on the deer trip with his father.

### Birthday Party

William Smeltzer, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Smeltzer of Woburn st., entertained a group of his friends at his home in honor of his 11th birthday last Monday afternoon. Billie was the recipient of many gifts. Refreshments including the traditional birthday cake were served by his mother. Guests present: Bruce and Richard Meyers, Allan Smeltzer, Stuart Henderson, John Greenwood, Craig and Cecile Roberts and Jimmy, Jackie, Judy and Billie Smeltzer.

### Arrives From Sicily

Frank Serio of Lowell Junction has returned from New York City with his cousin Toto Glorico who arrived aboard the S. S. Independence from St. Stefano, Sicily. This is Mr. Glorico's first visit to the United States. He will make his home in Baltimore, Md. with his father and family.

### Candlelight Service

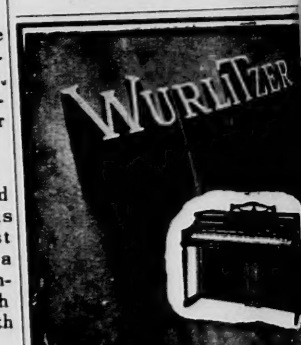
A very impressive candlelight service was held in the Methodist church last Sunday evening. The sermon, "Light in Darkness" was delivered by Raymond B. Wilbur, minister of the Union Congregational church. The youth choir under the direction of Mrs. Frank Orlando sang several Christmas numbers. Members of the youth choir were: Jacqueline Lakin, Carol Ann Shaw, Patricia Butler, Janet Sherry, Linda Mitchell, Robert Perry, Marilyn Waldie, Marjorie Hunt, Shelia Serio, Roberta MacCausland, Joyce Lee Nason, Joan Wilson, Sandra Fairweather, William Ackerman, Gerald Davis, Wayne Moore and Dean Ward.

After the church service about fifty of the young people and adults went about town singing Christmas carols. They all then returned to the Methodist church vestry where cookies and cocoa were served by Mrs. Frank Nason, Mrs. Edwin Brown and Mrs. Roy Brown.

### Deer Hunt

Harold Evans Jr. of Dale st. was another successful deer hunter when he arrived home with a large point buck which he shot in Warren, N.H. It weighed about 180 lbs.

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## ALLARDVALE

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### Christmas Party

Saturday evening the men's Methodist church held a Christmas party with members and friends. Lewis Nason was master of ceremonies. Christmas carols were sung. Mrs. Robert J. McCune entertained with a flute solo. Accompanied by Lewis Nason, pianist, Lewis Nason rendered a telephone selection accompanied by Mrs. Robert J. McCune. John Wilson, president of the Men's club was Santa Claus. He gave out the gifts. In the evening members and friends accompanied by Mrs. Edwin Brown, of the W. S. of C. entertained the Rev. and Mrs. Nason with a miniature Christmas dinner with dollar bills. The contest was held with the Rev. Nason as the winner. Refreshments were served by the following: Roy Brown, John Wilson, Randall Mattheson and John A. Gerry Worthen, Jr. Lewis Nason were in charge of the entertainment.

Guests present: the Rev. and Mrs. Robert J. McCune, Lewis Nason, Mr. and Mrs. Red Coates, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. Henry Meyers, Frank Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Green, Mrs. Ann Millie Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allen, Joyce Lee Nason, Mrs. Edna LaFayette Benson, A. Gerry Worthen, Jr. and George Nason.

Personals  
Mrs. Donald Boyd and Mr. and Mrs. Hartford, Conn. have returned home of Mrs. Boyd and Mrs. James Nicoll. They will be next two weeks. Mrs. Harriet Schofield, of Kindergarten, so home of her parents, James Schofield, for holidays. David McFarlane, of University of Massachusetts, will be home for the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Harland rd. Charles Langdell has home on Clark street. General hospital. Edward White of D. White at the Lawrence hospital. Mrs. Robert Read returned to her home. The Secours hospital. A tonsillectomy. James Green, former student, and a B. U. student will preach at the Methodist church.

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## ALLARDVALE

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### Christmas Party

Saturday evening the men of the Methodist church held a Christmas party with members and friends as guests. Lewis Nason was master of ceremonies. Christmas carols were sung. Mrs. Robert J. McCune entertained with a flute selection accompanied by Lewis Nason, pianist. Lewis Nason rendered a telephone selection accompanied by Mrs. Robert J. McCune, pianist. John Wilson, president of the Men's club was Santa Claus and gave out the gifts. In behalf of members and friends of the church Mrs. Edwin Brown, president of the W. S. of C. S. presented the Rev. and Mrs. McCune with a miniature Christmas tree decorated with dollar bills. A bean contest was held with James Green as the winner. Refreshments were served by the following committee: Roy Brown, John Wilson, Adall Mattheson and Charles Benson. A Gerry Worthen, John Duke Lewis Nason were in charge of the entertainment.

Guests present: the Rev. and Mrs. Robert J. McCune, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Nason, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Coates, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown, and Mrs. John Wilson, Mr. Mrs. Henry Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward, Mr. and Mrs. James Green, Mrs. Anna Hess, Millie Hammond, Dr. Carrie Benson, Charles Allen, Joan Wilson, Joyce Lee Nason, Wendall Mattheson, Mrs. Edna Laffin, Mrs. Francis Benson, A. Gerry Worthen and George Nason.

### Personals

Mrs. Donald Boyd and sons of Hartford, Conn. have arrived home of Mrs. Boyd's parents, and Mrs. James Nicoll to spend the next two weeks. Mr. Boyd will be home for the holidays.

Miss Harriet Schofield, senior at Kindergarten, school is at home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Schofield of Tewksbury for holidays.

David McFarlane, freshman at University of Massachusetts, is home for the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watson of Andover.

Charles Langdell has returned to home on Clark rd. from the Lawrence General hospital.

Edward White of Dale st., is a patient at the Lawrence General hospital.

Mrs. Robert Read of Hall Ave. returned to her home from the Secours hospital where she underwent a tonsillectomy last Sunday.

James Green, former Ballardvale resident, and a B. U. Theological student will preach the sermon in the Methodist church next Sunday.

### GOAL IN LIFE

Every man sets himself a certain goal in life—the hard part is to live up to it.

## Bradlee School Christmas Play

Pupils of the Bradlee school under the direction of the school teachers staged their annual Christmas program in the community room last week before an appreciative audience. Youngsters of each room participated in the entertainment.

The kindergarten under the direction of Mrs. Stanley presented the following program: "Santa's Little Helpers and Their Rhythm Band," class; songs, "Up on the Housetop," and "Rudolph, The Red Nosed Reindeer," by the following children: Richard Berthel, Marion Fitts, Hartley Crowe, Jerilyn Haggerty, Philip Froburg, Janet Letters, Steven Hall, Susan Leslie, Charles Jacobson, Eunice Marcure, Richard MacCausland, Lois Nolin, Allen Perry, Lynne Smith, Edward Smeltzer, Nancy Colpitts, Bruce Townsend, Judith Smeltzer, Henry Wrigley, Barbara Thompson, Lola Buschmann, Marcia Worthen, Elaine Demers, Sharon Dixon and Jacqueline Du Bois.

Grade One program, "The Nativity," which was in Wednesday's Tribune. Grade Two, Miss Beverly Bloomberg's room; song, class, "I Saw Mommy Kissing Santa Claus;" poem, "Like Santa Claus" by Charles Walent, Henry Mills, Richard Zielinski, Frederick Hunt and Russell Thompson; poem, "If You're Good," Nancy Hall, Virginia Hall, Donald Brouck, David Macken; poem, "I'd Like to Know," Kent Warner, Joan Haggerty, George Bentley, Robert Waldie and Robert Partridge; song, class, "Old St. Nicholas."

Grade Three, Miss Mary A. Collins' class: Christmas boxes, James Smeltzer, David Townsend, Daniel Dunn, Wayne Moore, Kenneth Newcomb, David Lawrie and Kathryn Lyle. "Signs of Christmas," Sharon Pryce, Sandra Webb, Robert Read, Marianne Hebert, Karen Grant, Linda MacCausland, Billy Butler, Carol Marcure and John Lawrie. "Come In," Robert Northrop, Meribey Sweet, Alice Schwartz and Allan Taylor. Hymn, "Little Baby," Daniel Dunn.

Grades Four and Five: "The Christmas Star," Jonathan Langdell; piano solo, "Silent Night," Craig Warner; "Wouldn't It," Harry Fisher, Donelda McNally, Joyce Robinson and Donald Kupis; clarinet solo, "O Come All Ye Faithful," Jonathan Langdell; "Candles For Christmas," David Bouleau, Linda Sanford, Gail Forsythe, William Robinson, Richard Smalley, Janet Sherry and Craig Warner; carols, "The First Noel," and "O Little Town of Bethlehem," Grades 4 and 5.

Grades Five and Six, announcer, Roy Sharpe; choral group, sopranos, Barbara Hoffman, Roy Sharpe, Dorothy Sanford, Barbara Partridge, Donny Lawrence and Bruce Meyers; altos, Ruth Smith, Charlotte Bentley, Bobby

Haggerty and Frank Froburg; songs, "Adeste Fidelis," "Silent Night," and "O Thou Joyful Day;" "Contique de Noel," by Barbara Partridge; poem, "Christmas in

Other Lands," Spain, Stuart Henderson; Holland, Richard Webb; Germany, Judith Webb; Denmark, Barbara Ferris; France, William Smeltzer; England, David Babine;

Mexico, Billy Newcomb; Ireland, Charles Goff; Sweden, Dorothy Sanford; tap dance, Dorothy Sanford.



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**Woman's Club**

The dramatic department of the Shawsheen Village Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. Arthur Steinert, 1 Union st., Friday afternoon, for its Christmas meeting. After a short business session the program was turned over to Mrs. Walter Wilson Jr., and her group, who presented a Christmas play written by Mrs. Phillip Costello. The play opened with the playing of the song "One Little Candle", and continued with Mrs. Costello as narrator. Those taking part, and the roles they portrayed were, Mary, Mrs. William Thompson; Joseph, Mrs. Joseph Daley; Inn-keeper, Mrs. John Lowe; his wife, Mrs. Walter Wilson; Martha, Mrs. David Fox. Dessert and coffee were served by the hostesses, Mrs. John Guild, chairman, Mrs. Thomas Neil, Mrs. James Baxter, Mrs. James Byrnes, Mrs. Justin Curry and Mrs. Harry Clough.

**Camp Fire Girls**

The Tawanka group of camp fire girls enjoyed a Christmas party at the home of their leader, Mrs. Martin Burns, of Argyle st., Thursday afternoon.

The Siquan group held a Christmas party Thursday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. John Tansey of Arundel st. On Saturday afternoon they went to the Bon Secours hospital to present the tray favors they had made for the patients, and on Sunday evening they went out on a round of carol singing.

The 5th grade camp fire group went to the Randolph Nursing home, Thursday afternoon to sing Christmas carols to the patients. Then they went to the home of Mrs. T. Edwin Andrew Jr., on Riverina rd., for a Christmas party.

The two second grade groups of Bluebirds, met at the home of Mrs. James Batterbury on Arundel st., for a Christmas party where they enjoyed games, a Christmas tree, presents and refreshments. The Busy Bluebirds are led by Mrs. Batterbury and Mrs. Gerard Pelletier and the Happy Smiling Bluebirds are led by Mrs. Richard Locke and Mrs. Charles Dufon.

**Surprise Party**

A group of friends and schoolmates of Miss Carol Ann McCarthy, surprised her with a party at her home last Friday evening. Carol Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McCarthy, 11 Carisbrooke st., left Sunday for Palmetto, Fla., where she will spend the Christmas holidays.

**Home from Schools**

Most of the colleges and prep schools have closed for the Christmas holidays and the following young people have arrived home to spend the vacation with their parents.

Cadet, Thomas Wilkinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Wilkinson of York st., arrived Saturday from West Point Military academy.

James Baillie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Baillie of Carlisle st., is home from Bowdoin college, Brunswick, Me.

Everett MacAskill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett MacAskill, of Sutherland st., arrived Thursday from Middlebury college in Vermont.

Cadet-Midshipman Peter Caswell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Caswell of Dumbarton st., arrived Friday from the U.S. Merchant Marine academy at Kings Point, N.Y.

Joan O'Donnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward O'Donnell, of Riverina rd., is home from the Longy School of Music in Cambridge.

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THE door is closed, but only to keep out Mr. Frost. The wreath says, "It's Christmas. All are welcome." This is the spirit of the Yule in America! The family gathers for the celebration. Friends visit and greetings are exchanged. Ours we offer now to all of you with the added wish for a Happy New Year.

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### SHAWSHEEN

(Continued from Page Ten)

Carol Lewis, and Derry Lewis, daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Lewis of Sherbourne st., are home from the University of New Hampshire and Kimball Union academy, respectively.

Peter Dunlop, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Dunlop of Arundel st., arrived Thursday from the University of New Hampshire.

Janet Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Thompson of Arundel st., has arrived home from Mt. Holyoke college.

Jean and June Steinert, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Steinert, 1 Union st., arrived home Tuesday from New York where they are working and studying for the theater.

Edward Dean, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dean of Robandy rd., formerly of Canterbury st., arrived home from Princeton university.

Peter Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Miller of Lowell st., is vacationing from Boston university.

Nancy Shulze, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Shulze of Carisbrooke st., is at home from Simmons college.

Lewis Fiedler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Fiedler of York st., is vacationing from Northeastern university.

David McCarthy, son of Mr. and Mrs. William McCarthy of Arundel st., is home from Northeastern university.

Arthur Mooney, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Mooney of Burnham rd., is vacationing from Tufts college.

Charles Kozs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Child, of Sterling st. is home from Emerson college.

### Personals

Byron Playdon has returned from the Lawrence General hospital where he was a patient for the last two weeks. Mrs. Harvey Tucker, of Hillsboro, N.H. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Playdon, is visiting them for the holidays.

Mrs. Frank W. Cobb of Durham, N.H. and William L. Cobb of Wilmington, Vt. are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Douglas of Morton st.

Karen and Christine Trott, daughters of Mrs. Ruth Trott of Morton st. have been confined to their home because of illness.

Miss Ernestine Bellamy of Bristol, N.H. and Washington, D.C. was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thaxter Eaton of Abbot st.

Mrs. Clare Norton of Elm st. is spending the holidays with her son Clare and his family in Portland, Conn. She will also visit her son Stanley in Pittsfield.

Joseph Foreman, of the Merchant Marine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herve Foreman of Summer st. is at home for the holidays. He has recently returned from a trip to Venezuela.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Marsden and family of Lockway rd. have returned from a trip to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gasy and their daughter Barbara Ann, spent Christmas with relatives in Chocoma, N.H.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young of Havenhill st. spent Christmas with relatives in Vermont.

Mr. and Mrs. Thaxter Eaton are entertaining Mr. Eaton's cousin, Charles Aiken of New York city.

Mrs. Frank De Coster of Lincoln st. has returned from New York City where she completed a course of instruction preparing her to represent Welcome Wagon Inc. as hostess in Lawrence.

### LIBRARY CLOSED

The library will close at 6 p.m. Wednesday, New Years eve, and will remain closed all the next day. Books may be left in the door slot.



## Merry Christmas

Joyous Christmas carols greet us everywhere heralding the great Feast of the Nativity and echoing the heavenly message of peace and good will that came to mankind that first Christmas night at Bethlehem.

Christmas with its religious services, its merry-making and its exchange of gifts among relatives and friends is celebrated throughout almost all parts of the world with somewhat similar customs, all revealing man's rejoicing at the birth of a Savior.

True, the use of holly, mistletoe and the Yule log came to us from an earlier time but they, too, are part of our expressions of joy, of hope, of love and of good will which sets Christmas apart from any other festivity.

These outward expressions should serve to create a true Christmas spirit of friendliness, of helpfulness and of neighborliness, a lasting feeling of good will that one would wish to have continue the year round.

And this is the thought we wish to convey when we of The Townsman wish all our readers A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR!

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## The Danger Months

Our driving practices in this holiday period have in other years made a battleground of our highways, a message from the office of Registrar King warns us.

A study by an insurance company of year-end holiday accidents in the past three years leads to the conclusion that there will be a minimum of 1300 highway fatalities this year from December 24 to January 1.

Many reasons are advanced for this terrible toll of lives, reasons that have been dinned into the ears of the driving public for many years.

Early darkness, rain, snow and ice bring their hazards, yet many motorists fail to adjust their speed to such conditions.

Then there is the good fellowship of the season that stimulates more drinking, the cause of many automobile accidents. The driver must remember to let somebody else do the drinking. His "last one" should be black coffee.

December is the danger month on our highways. Courtesy and common sense will help eliminate much of the accidents. Let us promote the spirit of "good will to men" when we are behind the wheel.



*We wish to extend our personal greeting and to wish one and all the Merriest Christmas and happiest New Year ever.*

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## Down the Years with The Townsman

### 50 Years Ago - December 1902

Runaway electric car well filled with passengers rolls backward down steep grades on N. Main st. from the railroad bridge to Stimson's bridge before it comes to a stop. Passengers in flying car become panic stricken, many leap to roadway, but only one man injured.

Rural free delivery service will be started here beginning next Feb. 2. Carrier will cover large territory and carry stamps, post cards and money orders. On his own account may sell newspapers and magazines.

Cars with conductors and motor-men came up from Haverhill over the new Haverhill & Andover line for the first time this week to familiarize the men with the route. David Bruce, former Andover boy, will be superintendent of new road.

Andover roller polo team opens season with 6 - 5 victory over Elks of Lawrence, last year's champions. Alex Ritchie, Andover's best player, was not allowed to play by league officials, the reason being that he is much too good for anything playing with the Lawrence teams.

Joy, mirth and music feature Christmas observance in Andover homes and churches. Schools observe event with special programs.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren O. Bailey of West Parish observe 50th wedding anniversary with reception attended by a large number of Andover and out-of-town guests.

### 25 Years Ago - December 1927

Santa Claus had busy week in Andover distributing gifts and favors at several club and church events. Programs of carols and Christmas plays held in schools.

Beautiful Christmas tree placed in square will be resplendent with colored lights Christmas eve.

Good old-fashioned New England home is passing out. Mother spends too much time with clubs and bridge, father with lodge and golf; not much time left to train their children or even know where they are. Nothing takes the place of home training which so many children nowadays do not get, according to letter from writer who signs himself "An Advocate of the Shingle."

Men's chorus of the Ballardvale Methodist church rehearsing for Christmas concert which will be given next Sunday.

New bridge over Haverhill street in Shawsheen completed Wednesday and on Friday trains were running over both tracks.

### 10 Years Ago - December 1942

Record volume of Christmas mail handled in local post office, breaking all previous marks. Temperatures as low as 24 degrees below zero registered in parts of the town early Sunday morning at peak of three-day cold snap, yet with fuel shortage and rationing very little discomfort is experienced.

Donald Dunn, former physical ed. instructor at Pynchard, has been promoted to rank of lieutenant colonel. He is in charge of the entire physical ed. program at a large naval training station.

Offices on north side of second floor of town house being remodelled to give more room for enlarged operations there.

Many shoppers had to make part of their homeward journey on foot last Tuesday night because of the dangerous condition of ice covered streets. No bus ran here after 8:30 p.m. until well into the next morning. Several Andover women walked home from Lawrence.

## At The Memorial Hall Library

### COMING EVENTS

Dec. 25 Library Closed.  
Dec. 29, 10:30 a.m. Doll and Teddy Bear story hour.  
Dec. 31 Closed at 6 p.m. New Year's eve.  
Jan. 1 Closed. New Years day.

### NEW BOOKS

**Education And The Nature Of Man,** Kelley.

Here is a brilliant argument against the old and for the new methods and techniques in education, which takes account of anthropology, biology, physiology, psychology, psychiatry and sociology.

**Sportsman's Country,** Peattie.

A famous naturalist writer has prepared this new book to tantalize not only the sportsman but the nature lover as well to seek the great outdoors. His subjects cover all parts of the United States.

**Great Escapes,** Davenport.

For those to whom the excitement of escape from danger is a thrilling experience these true escapes of many kinds of people from many kinds of disaster will be a treat. From the times of Xenophon to now.

**Narcotics: America's Peril,** Oursler.

Will Oursler, a police reporter and war correspondent and Laurence Smith, a writer, have combined their knowledge of the underworld of dope to point out again to the American people the dangers of narcotics. Much of their material was found in the files of the Federal Bureau of Narcotics. Not pretty, but important.

**Abraham Lincoln,** Thomas.

It is probably true that this one volume life of our great president will do for today's readers what Charnwood's did for his period. A fine assembling of facts and evaluating of the man Lincoln.

**Charles,** Joseph.

This delightful biography of a Siamese cat will be pleasant reading for those to whom the four-footed pets are a natural part of home-making. This slim story has the fetching sub-title "The Autobiography Of A Friendship." A London bachelor brings out the almost human qualities of his pet "Charles."

**How To Understand Propaganda,** Lee.

The whole subject of present-day propaganda and a guide for adapting it to a democratic society.

Franklin D. Roosevelt, Freidel.

This is the first of a proposed six volume life of the late president, and covers his early life, school days, terms in state office and Washington work during World War I.

**Papa's Table d'Hote,** Sermolino.

Amusing account of the famous Italian American restaurant "Goffarone's", a landmark for twenty-five years on W. 8th Street, as told by one of Papa's daughters.

**Far And Few,** McCord.

Those who attended the recent open house at the library had the pleasure of hearing the poet whose latest book, "Far And Few" is proving so popular with both young and not so young readers.

## Becomes Member Of Honor Society

At recent initiation ceremonies held at Lynn, Miss Louise Sherman, teacher in the Central elementary school, was welcomed into Epsilon chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, national honor society for women in education.

Among the DKG members engaged in the Dollar Day plan to supplement the scholarship fund are the Misses Margaret Bascom of the Central school and Beatrice Stevens of Pynchard.

### WINS AWARD

Anson Wallace of Andover won a red ribbon award (second place) in the 17th annual Christmas Decorations show held by the Essex Horticulture club, made up of boys who attend Essex County Agricultural school.

### ON STATE LIST

The state civil service director, Thomas J. Greehan has announced that Agnes N. Lewis, 29 Maple ave. is eligible for a position as hearings stenographer in the state tax appellate board.

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## Wedding...

### SETTERMAN - JOHNSON

At a candlelight service at 7 p.m., Dec. 18, at the family home Miss Phyllis Ann Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Johnson of High Plain rd., became the bride of Donald J. Setterman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gust Setterman of St. Paul Park, Minnesota. The Rev. John J. Gaskill officiated.

The bride who was given in marriage by her father had her sister, Mrs. Bertha Pouliot of Fitchburg as her matron of honor.

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James Culp of Danville, Ill. served as best man for the bridegroom.

A reception followed the ceremony with many guests present. After a wedding trip the couple will reside in St. Paul Park, Minnesota.

The bride is a graduate of Punchard high school and was employed at the Merrimack Mutual Insurance company. The bridegroom is a graduate of St. Paul Park high school. He is a USN veteran and is employed by the Northwestern Oil Refinery in Minnesota.

### PERSONAL

Miss Cecily Roberts of Abbot st., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Philbrick Roberts is visiting her cousin Leota Van De Veere, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Earle B. Van De Veere of Alexandria, Va.

## PUNCHARD SPORT...

### Punchard 36, Ipswich 35

Punchard had to make a great spurt in the final period to nose out a victory 36 - 35 over Ipswich as it opened the basketball season on the latter's court last Wednesday night.

In the JV preliminary the Punchard team walked away with the honors 28 - 12.

#### The scores:

Punchard	G	F	T	Ipswich	G	F	T
Whitley lf	0	1	1	Quint lf	3	1	7
Doyle lf	0	0	0	Sklar rf	7	1	5
Wenik lf	0	0	0	Johnson c	0	1	1
Yancey rf	5	2	12	Sheppard lf	3	2	5
Sullivan rf	1	0	2	Eustace rf	0	4	4
Downey rf	0	0	0	Williams rf	0	0	0
Stack c	3	7	13				
Pigeon c	0	0	0				
Hudgins c	0	0	0				
Dolan lg	2	1	5				
Watson rg	0	3	3				
Carver rg	0	0	0				

Totals	11	14	36	Totals	13	9	35
Score by periods	1	2	3	4	T		
Punchard	8	5	5	18	36		
Ipswich	8	6	12	9	35		
Referee—Middleton and Chapman. Time—Four 8s.							

Punchard J.V.	G	F	T	Ipswich J.V.	G	F	T
Leete lf	0	0	0	McGuire lf	2	0	4
Vickers lf	1	1	3	Hanlon lf	1	0	2
Dwyer rf	3	5	11	Pelletier rf	0	1	1
Watson rf	0	0	0	Barkowski c	1	0	2
Whitworth rf	0	0	0	Cunningham			
McMillan c	0	1	1	lg	0	0	0
Dyer c	0	0	0	Chism lg	0	1	1
Wadman lg	2	0	4	Glanakos rg	0	2	2
Williams lg	0	0	0				
Gallant lg	0	0	0				
O'Connor lg	0	0	0				
Adams rg	3	3	9				
Thompson rg	0	0	0				
Nichol rg	0	0	0				
Mulick rg	0	0	0				

Totals	9	10	28	Totals	4	4	12
Referee—Parker and Middleton. Time—Four 8s.							

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### Punchard 48, Stoneham 34

Punchard took an early lead with its game here against Stoneham Friday night and maintained it to score a 48 - 34 victory in its home debut.

In the preliminary game the junior varsity five won 40 - 38.

#### The score:

Punchard	G	F	T	Stoneham	G	F	T
Yancy lf	4	1	9	Sullivan lf	4	2	10
Doyle lf	1	0	2	Sarad lf	0	0	0
Whitley rf	4	2	10	Dixon rf	1	3	5
Wenik lf	1	0	2	Doran rf	0	0	0
Stack c	5	2	12	Shanks c	2	1	5
Pigeon c	0	1	1	Chrog c	0	1	1
Hudgins c	0	0	0	Roderick c	1	1	3
Watson lg	0	2	2	Steele lf	1	4	6
Sullivan lg	0	0	0	Tiberio lf	1	1	3
Dolan rg	4	2	10	Savin rg	0	1	1
Carver rg	0	0	0				

Totals	19	10	48	Totals	10	14	34
Score by Periods:	1	2	3	4	T		
Punchard	11	14	12	11	48		
Stoneham	8	12	4	10	34		
Referee—Mahan and Samboerki. Time—Four 8s.							

Punchard Jr G	F	T	Stoneham Jr G	F	T
Dwyer lf	5	3 13	Sellers lf	0	0
Leete lf	0	0	Hurter rf	2	4
Victor rf	4	2 10	Sahder c	2	4
McMillan c	0	1	Patterson c	0	0
Watson c	0	0	Keith lg	2	2
Dyer lf	2	2 4	Lawrence rg	8	0 16
Adams rg	2	2 6			
Wadman rg	2	2 6			

Totals	15	10	40	Totals	14	10	38
Referee—Davey. Time—Four 7s.							

### Junior Teams Win

The Junior high teams won their games recently played against Tewksbury and Middleton Junior high schools, and the local 9th graders also came up with a victory.

#### The scores:

Andover Junior High	G	F	T	Tewksbury	G	F	T
Dupont lf	1	0	2	Dupont lf	1	0	2
Yancy lf	1	1	3	Currier lf	0	2	2
Gurry lf	0	0	0	Finnley lf	0	0	0
Nightingale rf	0	0	0	Mulrio rf	0	0	0
McCollom c	2	0	4	Stocker rf	0	0	0
Richardson c	3	2	8	Curtis lf	0	0	0
Dalton lg	0	0	0	Lee c	0	0	0
Doncetti lg	0	0	0	Cleghorn c	1	1	3
Emmons lg	1	0	2	Garabedian lg	1	0	2
Davis rg	0	0	0	Dupon lg	0	0	0
				Goodposter rg	0	0	0
				Stelherland rg	0	0	0

Totals	7	3	17	Totals	3	3	9
Score by periods:	1	2	3	4	T		
Andover J. H.	4	2	6	5	17		
Tewksbury	5	2	2	0	9		

Andover J. H.	G	F	T	Tewksbury (8th)	G	F	T
Rest lf	1	0	2	Doherty lf	1	0	2
Belka rf	2	0	4	Foreman lf	0	0	0
McCollom c	6	1	13	Morris rf	0	0	0
Barous lg	0	0	0	Trull c	2	0	4
Bowman lg	1	0	2	Booth lg	0	0	0
Dalton lg	2	1	5	O'Neill lg	0	2	2
Best lg	0	0	0	Allen rg	1	0	2
Davis rg	0	0	0				

Totals	12	2	28	Totals	4	2	10
Score by periods:	1	2	3	4	T		
Andover J. H. (8th)	5	5	8	9	28		
Tewksbury (8th)	4	2	2	2	10		

Andover J. H.	G	F	T	Middleton J. H.	G	F	T
Emmons lf	0	0	0	Greeke lf	1	0	2
McCollom lf	5	0	10	Coffin rf	0	0	0
Gurry rf	0	0	0	Lohnes c	2	0	4
Belka rf	2	0	4	Webster lg	2	0	4
Richardson c	4	0	5	Hubbard rg	0	0	0
Dalton lg	1	0	2	Sedler rg	0	0	0
Best lg	0	0	0				
Davis rg	0	0	0				

Totals	12	0	24	Totals	5	0	10
Score by periods:	1	2	3	4	T		
Andover J. H.	8	2	2	12	24		
Middleton J. H.	4	0	3	4	10		

### Junior High Basketball

The schedule of the junior high basketball team for games after the holidays is as follows:

Jan. 6, Tewksbury; Jan. 9, Bedford Junior high school; Jan. 13, North Reading junior high school; Jan. 19, Brooks, away; Jan. 27, North Reading, away; Feb. 3, Tewksbury, away; Feb. 6, Friday, Bedford, away; Feb. 9, Salem, N.H. junior high school, away; Feb. 13, Middleton junior high school; Feb. 17, Salem N.H. junior high school; Feb. 20, Tewksbury.

## Christmas Seal Reminders In Mail

Because some Christmas Seal sale letters may have been overlooked among other Christmas mail, reminder cards will be sent to those who have yet to acknowledge the letters, Miss Louise R. Kelsey, chairman, Andover Christmas Seal committee, said today.

This year's Christmas Seal sale, conducted by the Andover Committee, opened on Nov. 17 and will continue until Dec. 25. Funds from the 1952 campaign will be used during 1953 for tuberculosis control projects, including community X-ray surveys, tuberculosis testing, school and community health programs and patient rehabilitation services.

## Engagements

### Batchelder - Bateson

Mr. and Mrs. James Bateson, 51 Red Spring rd., announce the engagement of their daughter, Eleanor, to Loring E. Batchelder, son of Mrs. Isabelle Batchelder, 29 Dufton rd.

Miss Bateson is a graduate of Punchard high school and the North Shore Babies' hospital, Salem. She is now on the staff of the Bon Secours hospital. Mr. Batchelder is a graduate of Phillips academy and Harvard university.

### Conlon - Curran

At a recent family luncheon in the Hotel Somerset, Boston, Annette LaFrance Curran of Salem st. and Maurice J. Curran Jr., of S. Main st., announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Annette Louise Curran to Arthur J. Conlon of Boston.

Miss Curran attended Marymount college and the Garland school. Mr. Conlon was graduated from Exeter academy, Harvard college and the Harvard Business school. He served as an ensign with the navy during World War II and is a member of the Delphic club and Hasty Pudding Institute of 1770.

### Emmons - Ribeiro

Senhor Antonio Ribeiro e Senhora of Bahia, Brazil, South America, announce the engagement of their daughter, Aidil, to Robert Mitchell Emmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Emmons, 50 York st. A February wedding is planned.

Mr. Emmons is a graduate of Halderness school and Bowdoin college and is in business in Bahia and Recife, Brazil.

### Milne - Patane

The engagement of Miss Carmelina Patane to George Milne, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Milne, 20 Cuba st., has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Patane, 225 Newbury st., Lawrence. Miss Patane and Mr. Milne are graduates of Lawrence High school and are employed at Tyer Rubber company. Mr. Milne served with the army air force during World War II.

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(Look Photo)

## HOME FOR HOLIDAYS

Miss Marylin Jouret, a junior at Fisher Junior college in Boston, is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jouret of Flint circle. A graduate of Punchard High school in 1952, Miss Jouret is preparing for a career as an executive secretary. She will return to class Jan. 5.

## GRASS FIRE

Engine 1 from the central station responded to a still alarm at 2:30 p.m. Dec. 19 to extinguish half an acre of a grass fire that was burning between High Plain and Virginia roads in West Parish on land of Harold Johnson and Carl Stephens.

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May happiness  
and good cheer  
be yours at  
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## PERSONALS

Lawrence Gillooly, a student at St. John's Preparatory school, is spending the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Lannan of High st.

Pvt. John J. Lambert of 163 N. Main st., is home for the Christmas holidays from Ft. Lee, Va.

Mrs. William J. Doherty and son William A. and daughter Margaret M. of Harding st., are spending the Christmas holidays visiting their son and brother Joseph in Connecticut.

Seaman 3/C George J. Lannan Jr., of Norfolk, Va. is spending the holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. George Lannan of High st.

Sgt. Hilton P. Corney of the Shaw Air Force base, So. Carolina, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stearney H. Corney of Holt rd.

## ATTENDED CONVENTION

William Mosher of West Andover, a student at the Essex County Agricultural school has returned from New York with six other students and an instructor after attending the 18th convention of the National Junior Vegetable Growers.

Good laws make it easier to do right and harder to do wrong.

## Births...

DAVIS— A son, Charles Hall Davis, 3rd., Dec. 11 at the Quonset Naval hospital to Lt. and Mrs. Charles H. D. Williamson, Quonset Point, R. I. The mother is the former Muriel E. Fone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Fone of Clark rd. The father is serving in the U. S. naval reserves.

TYNING— A son Harold W. III, Dec. 15 at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tynning (Priscilla Batchelder) of 31 Dufton rd.

MacDONALD— A son, Dec. 16 at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. David MacDonald (Ruth Anderson) of 81 Chestnut st.

CHENEVERT— A daughter, Michele Jane, Dec. 17 at the Lawrence General hospital to Dr. and Mrs. Philip A. Chenevert (Patricia Cloyes) of 47 School st.

LLOYD— A son, Steven Walter, Dec. 17 at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lloyd (Jennie Giovinco) of 1 Ayer st.

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At this joyous season  
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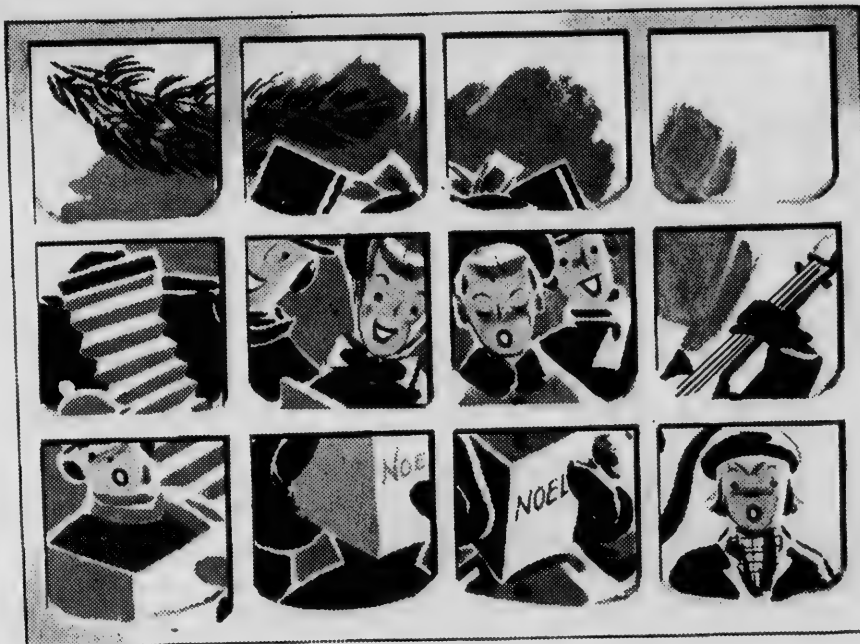
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## Tyer Gets \$254,000 Army Contract

Among the contracts, mostly for defense materials, which were made by the federal government during the first week in December, was one of \$254,000 awarded to the Tyer Rubber Co. for rubber boots for the army.

Announcement of the contracts was made by Leo A. Gleason, N. E. regional director of the U.S. Labor department's wage-hour and public contracts division. All are subject to the provisions of the Walsh-Healy Public Contract act.

Merry  
Christmas  
and  
Happy  
New Year

**REINHOLD'S**  
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Part of the crowd of youngsters who assembled at the Youth Center Monday afternoon to take part in the annual Christmas party staged for them. Of course Santa Claus showed up with

a bag of presents and refreshments were served to top off an enjoyable occasion. (Look Photo)

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## PATROLMAN HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT

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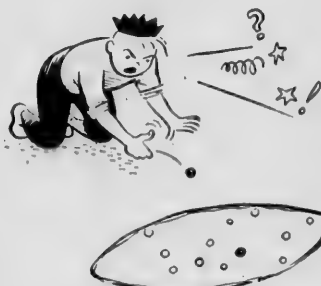
Patrolman Deyermund was taken to his home but returned to duty Tuesday morning.

Patrolman John Deyermund, 11 Shawsheen rd., father of Patrolman Calvin Deyermund, is out and around again after the auto accident last month that caused his hospitalization. "Jack", a familiar figure in the traffic box in the square, has not yet returned to duty.

The young assistant project engineer, out apartment hunting with his wife of a few days, had just finished inspecting an unusually tiny apartment. Stepping out of earshot of the agent he whispered briefly with his bride. Then turning to the agent he exclaimed resignedly: "Well, I guess we'll take it. Although it's much too small."

"I don't see why," retorted the real estate man, "the apartment

NATURALLY



The marble tournament was in full fury. One little boy had missed an easy shot, and let slip a real cuss word.

"Edward!" called the preacher from the spectators' bench, "What do little boys who swear when they are playing marbles, turn into?" "Golfers," was the reply.

## Urge All To Aid Arthritis Drive

In connection with the annual campaign which the Massachusetts chapter of the Arthritis and Rheumatism Foundation has started for public funds to relieve the ravages of arthritis, the board of selectmen has issued a proclamation urging all citizens to support the campaign to carry out its work.

It has been estimated that in Massachusetts alone between 150,000 and 200,000 suffer from the disease, about 6000 to the extent of being almost totally crippled.

was planned for two people."

"I know," the young engineer agreed, "but, you see, we were hoping to be able to keep a goldfish."

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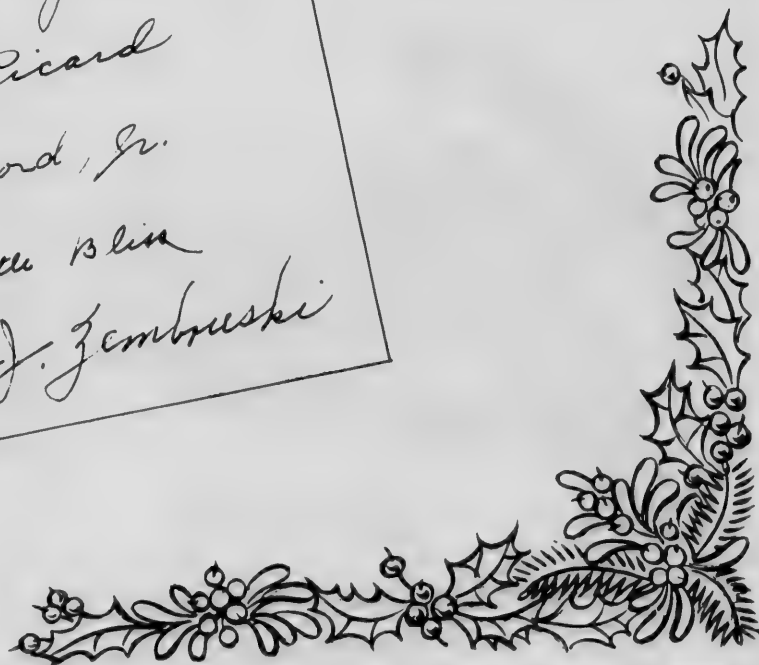
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contests; Simmers elected to planning board.

Police Chief Dane feted by friends for his effective work in keeping crime at a minimum here.

Punchard eliminated in hoop tourney by dropping 49 - 48 game to Barnstable.

13 - Unfinished town meeting Monday night voted \$1,268,860 for departments and approved \$36,550 for part of special articles.

Punchard wins opens 46 - 45 from Sumner high of Hollbrook in Eastern Mass. tourney at Boston Garden.

Dr. John T. Batal of William st., named medical examiner. Housing authority reorganizes with Ernest N. Hall chairman.

20 - At close of postponed town meeting Monday night town had appropriated record of \$1,390,632 for 1952. Increase of \$4 in tax rate seen.

Andover's Little League candidates work out in P.A. cage.

Punchard knocked out of Eastern Mass. tourney by losing 58 to 35 to Provincetown which went on to win Class C title.

27 - Janet O. Thompson and Carolyn E. Erler, top honor students at Punchard, will take prominent parts in graduation.

Scouts furnish keen competition in annual scout-o-ral.

## APRIL

3 - Junior League baseball team being formed here sponsored by Lions club.

Central PTA to be divided into two units, one for elementary and for high schools.

Edward P. Pettoruto appointed regular police officer.

10 - Town buys new fire engine to replace Engine 3, now 24 years in service.

Miss Justine M. Devlin of Lawrence and Miss Joan L. Dennison of Harrisburg, Pa., elected to the school system.

Eisenhower-for-president movement organized here with Mrs. Donald G. Thompson and Frederick Butler Jr. co-chairmen.

Punchard's basketball squads feted by Boosters.

17 - Board of trade holds forum meeting with several speakers discussing local problems.

Designs for official seal for board of trade submitted by high school students.

Mrs. John W. Crawford of Tilton, N.H., the former Anne Rita Sweetney of Andover, selected the 1952 New Hampshire "Mother of the Year."

24 - Scouts of Free church present minstrel show.

Light vote expected in presidential primary Apr. 29. Only one polling place to be open.

Grass fires keep firemen on jump.

Andover's old elms to be sprayed from helicopter in Tree Warden Dick Abbott's fight against dutch elm disease.

## MAY

1 - Record primary vote cast here with 2453 persons going to polls. Preference vote; Eisenhower 1419; Taft 620; MacArthur 7; Stassen 5; Warren 2; Lodge 2. Kefauver leads Democratic field with 74; Truman and Eisenhower 11 each; Richard K. Gordon 10; Taft 5; Harriman 3; Dever and Douglas 2 each; scattering 3.

Punchard track team wins invitation meet at Gloucester with 31½ points.

Sgt. David L. Nicoll, instructor of police pistol teams, receives 100 Club medal for scoring 100 in league match.

8 - Trout Derby for youngsters draws 400 to Hussey's brook.

West Center school to hold open house Sunday.

The Rev. Paul E. Callahan of the Union Congregational church, Ballardvale, reads letter of resignation as minister.

15 - Protestant laymen participate in communion service at Baptist church.

Five new teachers elected by school committee. They were, Joseph Normandy of Lowell; Gladys Hart of Derry, N.H.; Mrs. Marjorie Ganley of Lawrence; Marjorie Briand of Farnumville and Philip G. Wormwood of Andover.

Andover board of trade adopts emblem submitted by Miss Elizabeth Hatton of Stratford rd.

Class of 70 received first communion at St. Augustine's church.

Pupils of old West school move into new elementary school building.

22 - Coach Walter C. Roberts quits Punchard to accept similar position with Belmont.

Stanley B. Hitchings appointed general passenger agent of the B. & M.

Abbot academy to give diplomas to 53 at graduation exercises, June 2.

29 - Veteran organizations to honor departed dead with fitting ceremonies Friday.

Half of Punchard's anticipated

81 graduates in class of 1952 planning to enter college.

Civil defense announces practice "alert" test here for June 10.

## JUNE

5 - Edward A. Doherty appointed Punchard coach.

Veterans hold solemn rites for departed comrades.

Phillips academy to graduate 225 June 7.

New building operations here running far ahead of last year.

Andover Cardinals in Little League open season with 8 - 6 victory over Lawrence Giants.

Service club closes season with clambake at Wild Rose farm.

12 - Six Andover boys among 220 students who receive diplomas at Phillips academy.

St. Augustine's school awards diplomas to 30 eight grade students.

Pike school graduates 15 eight grade pupils.

Andover beats Exeter 8 - 5 in annual ball game.

St. Augustine's church to be redecorated for centenary observance in October.

19 - Punchard graduates 79 at 126th commencement.

The Rev. Levering Reynolds Jr., pastor of the Free church, receives doctor of divinity degree from Harvard university.

Walter E. Billings elected president of the Essex County board of trade.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright H. Stafford, 11 Wolcott ave. celebrated golden wedding.

John Dove school being torn down. Old building had its final classes last week.

26 - Town recreation facilities on playgrounds and at Pomp's pond open for season.

Sgt. David L. Nicoll named director of civil defense. Will start July 1 on part time basis succeeding Deputy Fire Chief Albert Cole Jr.

Jack Sherman accepts position as teacher of speech in Iolani school, Honolulu, Hawaii.

Lightning strikes home of Leverett Putnam, 71 Lowell st. in heavy storm.

Police foil early morning robbery at Howard Johnson restaurant on Route 28. Methuen husband and wife captured.

## JULY

3 - Assessors announce tax rate of \$44, an increase of \$4.

Electrical storm knocks out heat wave that had sent temperatures soaring as high as 102 degrees.

11 - The Fourth came and passed on. No official observance here.

Outdoor telephones installed in Ballardvale and near Howard Johnson restaurant on Route 28.

17 - Heat brings record water consumption of 3,745,000 gallons for one day (July 15). Temperatures stay in 90's.

Town fathers get opinion from Prof. Voss of M.I.T. that Gunnison houses comply with town's building code.

24 - Scorching heat wave establishes new record for water consumption of more than 23 million gallons a week. New daily record established July 17 when mark of 3,821,000 gallons was reached.

B.P.W. to start final link in 16-inch water main from Phillips street to Bancroft road.

31 - Water in Haggett's pond down 39.3 inches.

Sunday's wild storm tabbed by weather officials as thundersquall. High wind uprooted trees here.

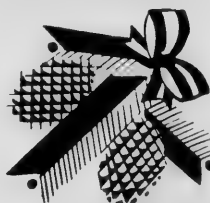
Elm trees sprayed for second time from helicopter.

Rail fence being placed along Rogers brook in park near Whittier street side.

AUGUST

7 - Andover farmers hit hard by

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light, worst in many years. Bus fares to increase Sunday. From Andover to Lawrence will be 20 cents instead of 15. Heavy rain brings end to night. Amount Aug. 5 to 13 totaled 5.38 inches. Haggett's own 40 inches below normal. Lawrence Gas & Electric pays largest tax of \$58,207. American Woolen Co. next. Over 300 register for state primaries.

Over 4500 enrolled for opening of schools here next month. Dr. Malcolm B. McTernan, prominent dentist, dies. Old West school sold at auction for \$200.

**SEPTEMBER**  
New Central school to open Monday with registration of 600. Town's new \$17,000 fire engine arrives.

A record number of 7419 Andover residents eligible to vote at state primaries.

Eugene A. Bernardin Jr. appointed Andover chairman of the Greater Lawrence community chest drive.

Reps. Collins, Giles and Langworth renominated by Republicans; Horan and McCabe nominated by Democrats in Fifth Essex district contest. Total of 3317 ballots cast here. Town votes to continue rent control.

Need of more schools seen as town's school population grows.

County board of trade to meet here with officials of surrounding communities to discuss highway proposals concerning Andover.

Punchard opens football season under new coach Ed Doherty with 10-0 win over Chelmsford. Cloudbursts last Friday, one with thunder and lightning, brought 2.19 inches of rain.

Lightning last Friday struck Randolph Nursing home on Burnham rd., ripping off part of the roof.

**OCTOBER**  
Open House at new Central school Sunday. Large number registering for presidential election.

Robert N. Frazer named manager of Andover Inn. Archbishop Richard J. Cushing indicates three permanent buildings at Merrimack college.

Record number of 564 persons registered here since state primaries last month. Largest vote in history of town predicted at presidential election.

Walter Billings presides at meeting of Essex County board of trade with neighboring city and town officials to discuss improvements in highways passing through town.

William J. Reynolds, retired shoe repair man, dies at his home on Sumner st.

16 - St. Augustine's parish opens 100th anniversary celebration with parish reunion in Memorial auditorium.

Plan to eliminate traffic hazard on North Main street endorsed by county board of trade.

23 - Re-zoning of land in rear of Shaw property for off-street parking approved by attorney general. Plan was adopted by town meeting last March.

President Truman's train passes through town on its "whistle stop" tour.

Community chest campaign launched with large army of local workers.

Archbishop Richard J. Cushing celebrates Mass at 100th anniversary celebration of St. Augustine's parish.

30 - Great vote expected here election day, Nov. 4. Town has 8299 eligible to vote.

Study being made to provide better lighting of several sections of Main street from Lawrence line to Phillips academy.

Christmas lighting wires strung across Main street for display of lights during holiday season.

Elinor Mondale and Lesley Jane Westfall, Punchard students, win trip to New York for essays submitted in United Nations contest.

\$20,000 fire at Admiral Folding Co. plant off Railroad avenue.

**NOVEMBER**

6 - Reps. Collins, Giles, Longworth re-elected. John Adams elected state senator. 7689 votes cast. Town gives Eisenhower and other Republican candidates large vote.

Additional bus needed for transportation of school children.

13 - Christmas clubs of local banks issue checks for \$252,577.

Town raises \$22,212 or 95% of community chest quota.

Early snow storms with dropping temperatures hit town.

Andover swamps Exeter 59-0. Five community Hallowe'en parties attract crowds in several sections of town.

20 - Atty. Richard K. Gordon takes out papers for selectman. Merchants planning attractive program for Christmas season.

Punchard beats Methuen 48-0. Police Officer John Deyerdmond injured when auto he was driving hit pole on Brook st.

26 - 633 New homes built here in six post-war years.

Phillips academy opens new memorial gym.

Officer Edward P. Pettorutto granted three months' leave of absence to take up new duties as examiner for the registry of motor vehicles.

**DECEMBER**

4 - Large delegation of police from all over state together with local and nearby town and city officials attend funeral of Police

Chief George A. Dane, who died suddenly Nov. 29 at his home in Ballardvale.

Contract for new school bus awarded to George R. Dumont of Ballardvale.

Punchard rolls over Johnson 41-14 in Thanksgiving day game.

Andover's 1953 auto insurance rate up \$2.50 to \$23.

Shawsheen Laundry damaged by fire.

11 - School budget for 1953 to be \$75,000 higher than last year.

Crowd of 5000 witnesses Santa Claus parade and turning on of Christmas lights.

Alcoholic licenses for 1953 granted to all who held them this year.

Julie E. Mahoney of Lawrence fatally injured when she fell from moving auto in which she was riding with members of her family on North Main street.

Town house flag to fly at half staff for 30 days in honor of the late Police Chief George A. Dane.

\$5000 fire damage in boiler room of Shawsheen Laundry.

18 - Ballardvale residents seek new \$90,000 trunk sewer.

Post office business breaking all previous Christmas records.

Third graders in Central elementary school progressing in conversational French lessons given by members of Phillips academy faculty.

Churches prepare special musical programs for Christmas services.

Schools hold Christmas programs in observance of the Nativity.

Annual display of Christmas lights starts at St. Francis Seraphic seminary in West Andover.

Crowd of 200,000 expected to view scene before display closes Jan. 6.

Telephone company seeks increase in rates.

**ON VACATION**

Home from Governor Dummer academy to spend the Christmas holidays with their parents are Ronald J. Paparella, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Paparella, 68 Elm st., and Ronald H. Sherman Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald H. Sherman, 66 Central st.

## Couple Observe Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Alvah P. Wright of Salem st., observed their 50th wedding anniversary last week.

The couple was married in Lynn, Dec. 19, 1902. Mrs. Wright recalls there was three feet of snow on the ground that day. Mr. Wright is the well known school bus driver.

They have one son, Joseph G. Wright, also a school bus driver, and one grandchild, Miss Judy Wright.

## BLUEBIRD GROUP

There will be no meeting of the Bluebirds Wednesday because of the holidays. The group will come together again Wednesday, Jan. 7, at the usual time.

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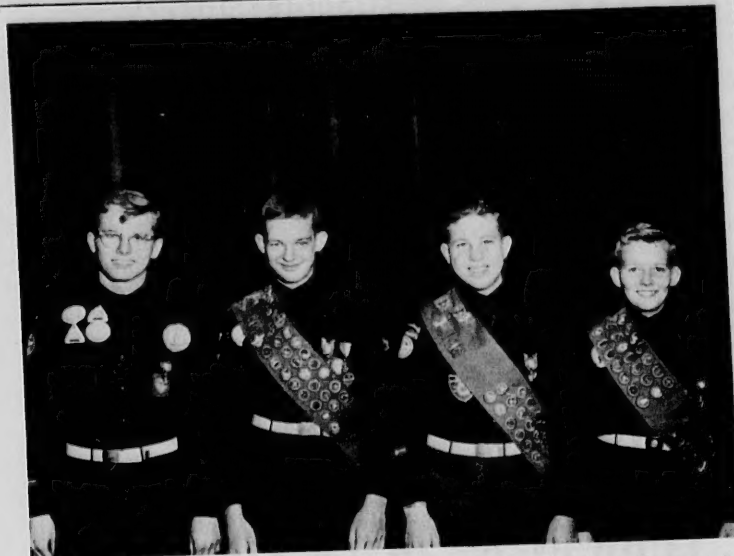
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Explorer scouts of post 72 who received their Eagle scout awards at a court of honor at the Free church. From left to right, David Iartz, Robert A. Domingue, Barry Leidich and Harold Seinwerth. The presentation was made by Robert P. Domingue.

## Manufacturing Employment Varied Little During Year

Economic developments for the past year showed that total manufacturing employment in New England did not waver more than two percent above or below the average of 1,150,000 persons, the Federal Reserve bank of Boston reports in its Monthly Review.

It was a year that saw some basic changes in the structure of manufacturing as textiles dwindled in importance, the bank reported, and metal-using industries forged ahead to chalk up impressive employment gains.

Textile employment was 57,000 less than the level of February 1951. In marked contrast, the metal-using industries expanded employment by 30,000 between the same dates.

The shift in emphasis to durable goods production was reflected in New England unemployment patterns. The labor markets which suffered from heavy unemployment

continued to be those heavily depending on the textile industry. Early in 1952, unemployment-insurance claims were running well above those in the comparable months of 1951. Expanding construction activity provided some extra jobs during the summer, and then a fall upturn in business reversed the comparison, when unemployment claims fell to a level 30 percent below the 1951 totals.

New Englanders continued to buy heavily at retail stores during the year, with dollar volume of department store sales for the first ten months of 1952 about equalling sales of the corresponding period of last year. Retail sales showed a declining trend during the first quarter of 1952, but strengthened in the second quarter, and moved generally upward during the summer and fall months.

Defense contracts played an active but smaller role in support-

ing business activity in the region. New England's non-secret contracts for manufactured articles totaled about \$959 million by the end of September, a figure only 55 percent as large as the 1951 value for the comparable period. Classified contracts for research and production of secret defense materials continued in large volume.

Construction activity in New England continued at a brisk pace in 1952. Contracts awarded during the first 10 months called for more individual projects than in the corresponding projects in 1951. Valuations exceeded those of a year ago by almost 13 percent but were affected by higher construction costs reflecting advancing wage scales. Prices of construction materials remained substantially unchanged.

One of the major landmarks of the year was the steel strike which slowed down many steel-using industries in New England. These industries recovered quickly in the fall.

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### MORTGAGEE'S SALE REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of power of sale contained in mortgage given by ROGER WEST and FRANCIS C. LEMMON to the Andover Savings Bank as tenants by the entirety of Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts, and recorded with the Registry of Deeds, Lawrence, Massachusetts, Book No. 11490, Certificate No. 3736, Book 25, Page 10, which mortgage the undersigned holder, for breach of conditions of said mortgage and purpose of foreclosing the same in accordance with a decree of the Court (No. 16428 Misc. in Equity) sold at public auction at the Court House in Andover, Massachusetts, on Saturday January 10, 1953, the premises described in the mortgage to wit:

Two certain lots of land and buildings thereon situated on the west side of Corbett Street in Andover, bounded and described as follows:

NORTHERLY One hundred and 59/100 (134.59) feet of

road;

EASTERLY Ninety nine (99.04) feet by Lot 123A of

plan hereinafter mentioned;

SOUTHERLY One hundred and 88/100 (121.88)

feet as shown in plan hereinafter mentioned; and

WESTERLY Ninety nine (99.04) feet by Corbett Street

All of said boundaries are by the Court to be located

Subdivision Plan No. 573

McCRACKEN BROS., Eng.

January, 1941, and filed with the Registry of Deeds, Essex North District Reg.

Book 23, Page 341. For

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PAUL M. PINCES

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## LEGAL NOTICES

## MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by ROGER M. LENFEST and FRANCIS C. LENFEST as joint tenants and not as tenants in common nor as tenants by the entirety, both of Andover, Essex County to HENRY FLUSTER, doing business as FLUSTER ASSOCIATES of Boston, Suffolk County, dated August 23, 1952, and recorded with the Records of Registered Land in Essex North District Registry of Deeds, Lawrence, Mass., Document No. 11490, Certificate of Title No. 3736, Book 25, Page 345, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same and in accordance with a decree of the Land Court (No. 16428 Misc. in Equity) will be sold at public auction at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday January 10, 1953 on the mortgaged premises described in said mortgage to wit:

Two certain lots of land with the buildings thereon situated on the easterly side of Corbett Street in said Andover, bounded and described as follows:

NORTHERLY One hundred thirty four and 59/100 (134.59) feet by Emilie Road;  
EASTERLY Ninety nine and 4/100 (99.04) feet by Lot 123A as shown on plan hereinafter mentioned;  
SOUTHERLY One hundred twenty five and 88/100 (121.88) feet by Lot 150C as shown in plan hereinafter mentioned; and  
WESTERLY Ninety and 94/100 (90.94) feet by Corbett Street.

All of said boundaries are determined by the Court to be located as shown on Subdivision Plan No. 5730F drawn by McCracken Bros., Engineers, dated January, 1941, and filed with Certificate of Title No. 2579, Book 17, Page 517 also on Subdivision Plan No. 5730G drawn by RALPH B. BROSEUR, C.E. dated October 11, 1948 as approved by the Court filed in the Land Registration Office, a copy of which is filed with Certificate of Title No. 3596, Book 24, Page 385 and being designated as Lots 124A and 125B on above mentioned plans. Being part of the premises described in transfer Certificate of Title No. 3435 recorded with the records of Registered Land in Essex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 23, Page 341. For title see Certificate No. 3642 in Book 24, Page 559 in the North Essex Registry District.

Subject to a first mortgage to the Andover Savings Bank originally written in the sum of Eleven Thousand Three Hundred Fifteen Dollars (\$11,315.) duly recorded with the Records of Registered Land in Essex North District Registry of Deeds.

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, tax liens, municipal liens and assessments, if any there be, and also subject to the present unpaid balance of the first mortgage to the Andover Savings Bank mentioned above.

A deposit of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars will be required of the purchaser at the time and place of sale and the balance of the purchase money is to be paid within ten days thereafter.

HENRY FLUSTER, Mortgagee.  
PAUL M. PINCESS, Attorney for Mortgagee, 185 Devonshire Street, Boston.

18-24-31

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Docket No. 239,534  
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of BLANCHE MILDRED SMITH, otherwise known as BLANCHE M. SMITH late of Andover in said County, deceased, (wife of FRED H. SMITH)

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by FRED H. SMITH of Andover in said County, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-ninth day of December 1952, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.  
11-18-24

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Docket No. 239,545  
PROBATE COURT

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JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.  
11-18-24

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Docket No. 239,545  
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of MARY W. SALOMONSON late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by ISABEL W. SALOMONSON of Newton in the County of Middlesex praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-ninth day of December 1952, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.  
11-18-24

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Docket No. 239,499  
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of FREDERICK BUTLER, JUNIOR late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that OLIVE I. BUTLER of Andover in said County be appointed administratrix of said estate without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-ninth day of December 1952, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.  
11-18-24

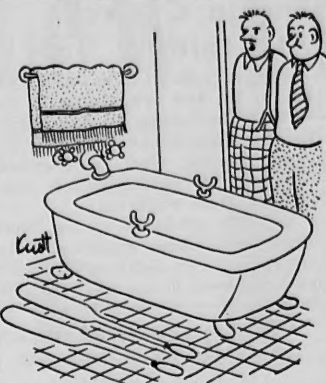
Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Docket No. 239,617  
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of GEORGE E. ABBOT late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by ANGESEA H. ABBOT, and JOHN RADFORD ABBOT, named in said will as JOHN R. ABBOT, both of Andover in said County, praying that they be appointed executors thereof without giving a surety on their bonds.



"Well, we have a lot of floods hereabouts."

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Docket No. 236,691  
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of FRANK A. CALLAHAN late of Andover in said County deceased, The executrix of the will of said deceased, has presented to said Court for allowance her first and final account.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-ninth day of December 1952, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this third day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.  
11-18-24

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

No. 217728  
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the trust estate under the will of JOSEPH N. ASHTON late of Andover in said County, deceased, for the benefit of ADELAIDE D. ASHTON.

The trustees of said estate have presented to said Court for allowance their first to fourth accounts inclusive.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twelfth day of January 1953, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.  
18-24-31

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of MABEL ELLEN PRATT, otherwise known as MABEL PRATT late of Andover in said County, deceased;

A petition has been presented to said Court by ARTHUR A. THOMSON, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of said deceased, praying for authority to adjust by compromise or to submit to arbitration a certain claim against said estate as set forth in said petition.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-ninth day of December 1952, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.  
11-18-24

The Andover National Bank

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Andover National Bank will be held at its Banking House, 23 Main Street, Andover, Mass., Tuesday, at the twentieth day of January, 1953, at ten o'clock a.m. for the choice of directors and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

## CLASSIFIED ADS

## Lost and Found

ANDOVER NATIONAL Bank Pass book 5066, has been lost and application made for payment in accordance with Sec. 20, Chap. 167 of the General Laws. Payment has been stopped. B-11-18-24

ANDOVER SAVINGS Bank Pass book 47510 has been lost and application made for payment in accordance with Sec. 20, Chap. 167 of the General Laws. Payment has been stopped. B-11-18-24

ANDOVER SAVINGS Bank Pass book No. 52619 has been lost and application made for payment in accordance with Sec. 20, Chap. 167 of the General Laws. Payment has been stopped. B-18-24-8

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## EMPLOYMENT VARIED LITTLE DURING YEAR

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The New England lumber business enjoyed a moderately good market while wood-furniture manufacturing had a somewhat better fall season than it did in 1951. Retail furniture sales showed no signs of retreating and prospects for the coming months appeared favorable.

Slow business in the textile industry held down employment in the non-durable goods category until the fall pickup. Textile mills reached a low point in May but expanded rapidly during the early fall as demand picked up in both the cotton-rayon and woolen-worsted segments of the industry. Textile mill employment will probably continue below 1951 levels, however, because several mills closed or moved during the year. The outlook for woollens was fairly good, but worsted mills continued to be in the least favorable position within the industry.

Both production and employment in New England shoe plants were well above the levels of a year ago. Output during the first nine months of 1952 was nine percent ahead of that in the same period of 1951, which compares with a national increase of about five per cent. The shoe trade expected the between season lull starting in mid-November to be less severe than in most recent years.

A quickened tempo of activity was evidenced in New England rubber plants during the fall months as workers were recalled and the work week lengthened.

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(Look Photo)

### Red Cross Expands Its Blood Program

At a recent meeting of the executive committee of the Red Cross chapter Miss Barbara Loomer, executive secretary, reported on the expanded blood program due to the discovery that gamma globulin prevents paralysis of polio victims.

Present were Ernest S. Young, Leo Daley, Mrs. David M. Thompson, Mrs. Harold Johnson, John E. Gilcreast, Mrs. J. J. Tavern, Winthrop Newcomb, Charles Whiteside and Miss Loomer. Mr. Gilcreast gave a financial report covering the past five months.

Mrs. Johnson, secretary, read a letter from the Red Cross Eastern area headquarters making favorable comment upon Andover's public information service as exemplified in the chapter's annual report.

### GORRIE APPOINTED TO POLICE FORCE

(Continued from Page One)

by the death of Chief George A. Dane.

The state civil service commission had certified the following three men for the position which pays \$57 a week: George A. Porter, James M. Gorrie Jr., and Frederick K. Welch.

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### CHRISTMAS POSTAL BUSINESS LARGE

(Continued from Page One)

today," the postmaster continued. "Earlier this month we had 20,000 or more pieces of mail going through the cancelling machines daily. It later jumped up to 30,000 and on our peak day we had 51,000 pieces of mail pass through our cancelling machines."

There have been several deliveries on each route each day for the past week. One reason for this is to keep the carriers' rack cleaned out so that they will have space for their sorting.

Postmaster Boland also announced today that special delivery mail and perishable parcel post packages would be delivered Christmas morning.

### Ensign Caswell At Training Base

Ensign John H. Caswell, USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Caswell, 5 Dumbarton st., has reported to the Amphibious Training Command, Pacific fleet, in Coronado, Cal., for an indoctrination course in amphibious warfare.

He is a graduate of the Massachusetts Maritime academy. Before entering active military service he was employed by the Gulf Oil Corp.

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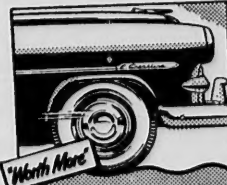
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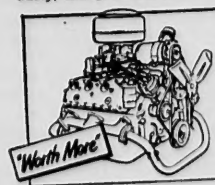
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The board of health secretary, Charles has issued a notice school children registration of pupils from illness.

After a recent amendment relative to certain children from schools (Sec. 55, C) has been some board learns, as to education.

It is still necessary for parents of a school board says, to obtain the doctor whenever had or has been exposed to a contagious disease before returning to his or her school.

If a child returns without such a certificate will be referred to a physician by the school examination.

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